

## Maynard Fire Streamlining Residential Inspection Process

Effective Monday, October 14, 2013 smoke detector compliance inspections will normally be conducted only between 8:00AM-10:00AM or after 4:00PM each day. Those wishing to schedule an inspection should continue to contact us by phone at 978-897-1014 on the morning of the day they wish inspection performed. Our goal in limiting the hours in which these inspections are conducted is to allow our fire captains the opportunity to more efficiently conduct their various other nonemergency duties each day while still being available to perform these inspections.

Additionally, our department will soon begin the use of an improved records management system that will result in a more effective means of tracking and documenting all of our inspections, including smoke detector compliance. With this new system your signed compliance certificate will be stored electronically allowing us to e-mail original copies to anyone who needs them. (i.e. real estate agents, homeowners, attorneys, or financial institutions). Once implemented this new system will allow us to instantly retrieve and electronically share any records of any previous services provided are inspections made for any property within our community.